

## JUSTICE COURT JUDGES

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Judge F. Kirk Heaton has served as the Kane County Justice Court Judge since April 1990. He previously served Kane County as its County Attorney for nine years. He received his law degree as a member of the charter class of the J. Reuben Clark Law School at Brigham Young University.

Judge Heaton's compliance with performance standards is as follows:

- 1) Had fewer than the maximum allowable cases held under advisement.
- 2) Had at least 30 hours of continuing judicial education annually during his term.
- 3) Mentally and physically fit for office.
- 4) In substantial compliance with the Code of Judicial Conduct.

### **Judge F. Kirk Heaton**

Kane County Justice Court  
(Kane County)

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Judge Gary L. Johnson was appointed to serve as the Judge for the Kanab City Justice Court on July 1, 1998. Judge Johnson received his B.S. from Southern Utah University. He has attended the National Judicial College and completed the advanced evidence course as well as the Justice Court Orientation and the level one Legal Institute. He is currently (2003) enrolled in the level two Legal Institute. Judge Johnson currently serves on the Justice Court Board of Judges and has served in the past as assistant education director for the sixth district. Outside of the legal arena he serves as an assistant football coach for Kanab High School.

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### **Judge Gary Johnson**

Kanab Municipal  
Justice Court  
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Judge Martin Nay was born and raised in Panguitch City, Utah. He was the Chief of Police for about 18 years. He was also on the Post Council for 8 years and really enjoyed this responsibility. Two and one half years ago he applied for the JP job and was appointed by the mayor and city council. He has enjoyed the trainings and getting to know other JP's throughout the state. He has enjoyed working in this position and looks forwards to serving our citizens and the residences of Panguitch City and Garfield County.

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- 4) In substantial compliance with the Code of Judicial Conduct.

### **Judge Martin Nay**

Panguitch Municipal  
Justice Court  
(Garfield County)